

07-28-2009, 08:01 PM #614 Posts: n/a ismellatroll

Quote:

Originally Posted by UnregisteredPOLITIKS [2]

There have been numerous victims over the years that have been paid confidential settlements out of court.

horseshit...there is no such thing as a confidential lawsuit the intitial step to a settlement. If there was a notice put in, its public info and the news would be all over it.

The report would update and state settled out of court undisclosed amount.

I cant recall any other obpd suits soo sorry



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#615

ismellatroll

Posts: n/a



Quote:

Originally Posted by disgusted 2 [3]

The OBPD are a bunch of thugs. I have witnessed it first hand, while vacationing with my family there. It is a shame that tax payers, pay the salaries of these shameful police officers.

they got rid of their worst, lamm noffi Fiorello snyder



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#616

confidential settlements

Posts: n/a



Quote:

Originally Posted by not2concerned >>

if it was abuse and corruption why was the parties found n/g? After being found n/g why was it referred to federal court for civil rights violations?

Why would anyone settle for a fraction or a percent of their orginal suit? If I was the victim of police brutality I'd expect a few million as a starting point for a settlement.

gee what a shock they ignored it and made claims of confidential lawsuits. you are absolutely right.

cops found not guilty.

no federal probe, no federal interest, no federal civil rights case.

The claimant sued for 22 million and settled for less then 3%, sounds like he took the money and ran.

No one posting has an answer to this and wont respond.

This is when they start lying, and making up confidential lawsuits and settlements. Typical. dont waste your time with these morons



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#617

UnregisteredJURY

Posts: n/a

Awards

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Did anyone ask for the opinion of a loser? It seems to me you have no real insight into this case that anyone else does or doesnt.

The victim made his point? The story wasnt even covered on news 12 or newsday, google it and there is one story on it.



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#619

Unregisteredblll

Posts: n/a



Quote:

Originally Posted by Concerned FI Resident [5]

- 1. Lawsuits are always started for pie-in-the-sky amounts. I don't know much about this stuff, but I do know that \$600,000 is a lot of money and far more than the cost of finishing the lawsuit. Gilberd wins that round.
- 2. I am glad I don't live in OB. I would hate to see my taxes go up to pay the increased liability insurance premiums that OB will have to pay because of Hesse and Company. OB loses that round.
- 3. The fact that Gilberd had the guts to bring his lawsuit will embolden others who were abused by OBPD to bring lawsuits. Did I mention higher insurance premiums? OB loses the next round.
- 4. One would think responsible and honorable residents of OB would throw the bums out, hire REAL cops, who would have real respect, and stop the abuse and corruption. Could it be that Hesse has something on the ones in power and that they are afraid of him? You're all losers!

bottom line obpd is responsible for his injuries because he was in their custody. If his bladder ruptured because it was too full, it happened in their custody. If he was that drunk and falling all over he should have been detained for his own safety. If it was the beatdown he claims why would he settle for a few 100k?





The cost of the criminal trial was over 100k, the list of witnesses was double that in the civil trial due to the scope of what is admissable in a civil trial.

Aside from the cost of trial, the hospital bill had to be over 200k. Whats the cost of emergency surgery to repair a ruptured bladder? How long was he in ICU? Follow up care? Remember regardless of the cause of injury, the injury occurred during police custody. On police property. He was in their custody, and was allowed to leave after getting a appearance ticket. If he was so inebriated that he was a danger to himself he should have been held for his safety and transported to the hospital. Most police depts have a protocol in place, usually a bac of .03 to .035 as a mandatory hospital check. If refused the prisoner should be transported anyway.

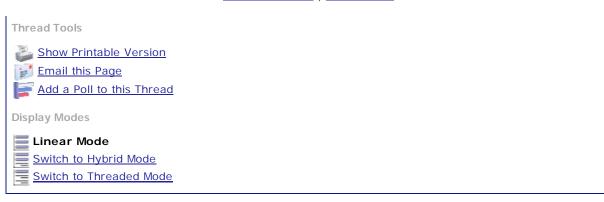
The police dept has the burden of being responsible for you, even when you do not.





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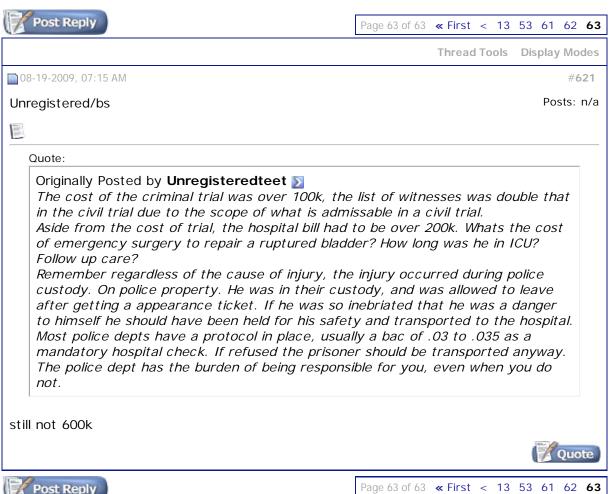
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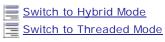






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